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TITLE:

System and Method for Intelligent Routing of Tasks Across A Distributed Network

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Enclosed for filing in the above case are the following documents:

Return Postcard Utility Patent Application Transmittal Page Fee Transmittal Page Patent Application Consisting Of:

23 Pages of Specification

5 Pages of Claims (Claims 1-35) 1 Page of Abstract

8 Pages of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-8) Declaration and Power of Attorney (executed)

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